

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Labour Department – Allegations of Corruption against Sri S.Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer, Godavarikhani, Karimnagar District – Trapped on 25.6.2003 – Prosecution – Charge sheet filed – Convicted by the Court of the Principal Special Judge for SPE & Anti Corruption Bureau Cases, Hyderabad - Imposing the punishment of dismissal from service - Orders – Issued.

LABOUR EMPLOYMENT TRAINING AND FACTORIES (VIG) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 48

Dated :08. 6.2010
Read the following:-

1. From DSP, ACB, Karimnagar, Automex Massage dt. 25.6.03.
2. From the DG, ACB, Lr. Rc.No. 140/ RCT – KNR / 2003, dt.7.7.2003.
3. Govt. Memo No.311/Emp.A3.Vig/2003-1 Dt. 18.7.2003.
4. Proceedings of the DCL, Warangal, No .A1/ 1718/2003, dt.31.7.2003.
5. From the DG, ACB, Lr. Rc. No. 140/RCT – KNR/2003, dt. 22.12.04
6. G.O.Ms.No.13 LET & F (Vig) Deptt, dt. 10.3.05.
7. Govt. Memo No. 311/ Vig/2003-6, dt. 10.3.005.
8. From the COL, Lr.No.R1 /13846/003, dt.9.11.2005.
9. Govt. Memo No. 311/Vig/2003-9, dt. 26.11.2005.
10. From the DG, ACB, Lr. Rc.No. 140/RCT –KNR/03, dt. 21.1.2006.
11. G.O.Rt.No 826 LET & F (Vig) Deptt, dt. 18.4.2006.
12. Govt. Memo No. 311/Vig/2003-12 dt. 23.6.2007.
13. Repnn. of Sri Promod Kumar, ALO, Mahabubad dt.24.12.07.
14. G.O.Rt.No. 1009 LET & F (Vig) Deptt,dt. 25.6.2009.
15. From the DG, ACB, Lr. C.No. 140/RCT – KNR/ 2003, dt.24.4.2010 & .5.2010.
16. G.O.Ms.No.2 G.A. (Ser.C) Department, dt.4.1.1999.

ORDER:-

In the automax message 1st read above, it has been brought to the notice of the Government that Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer, Godavarikhani, Karimnagar district was trapped on 25.6.2003 when he demanded and accepted an amount of Rs. 10,000/- as bribe from the Complainant Sri S. Chandrasekhar, Managing Partner, Swasthik Medical Agency R/o Godavarikhani, for doing official favour.

2. Based on the report of Anti Corruption Bureau, the Commissioner of Labour was requested to place of Sri S. Pramod Kumar under suspension from service vide Government Memo 3rd read above. Accordingly Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer was placed under suspension vide proceedings 4th read above under rule 8 (1) of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

3. In the letter 5th read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau in his final report has informed that the Accused Officer while functioning as Assistant Labour Officer, Godavarikhani demanded and accepted an amount of Rs.10,000/- as bribe from the complainant for doing official favour for issuing license registration certificates of the complainant and 9 other medical agencies of Godavarikhani. Therefore, he has recommended to prosecute him in a Court of law U/s 7,13 (2) & 13 (1) (d) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and also to initiate departmental action against him for not submitting Annual Property Returns to the department since the date of his joining.

4. Accordingly in the Government Order 6th read above orders were issued sanctioning prosecution against Sri.S.Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer Godavarikhani in a court of law. In the Memo 7th read above, the Commissioner of Labour was directed to initiate departmental action against the Accused Officer for his failure in not submitting Annual Property Returns from the date of joining as recommended by Anti Corruption Bureau.

5. In the representation 8th read above, Sri S. Pramod Kumar has requested to consider his request for reinstatement as per G.O.Ms.No. 86, General Administration Department, dt. 8.3.94. In the Government Order 9th read above, Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer was reinstated in to service and posted to a far off place in a non-focal post pending finalization of the Anti Corruption Bureau case.

6. In the Government Order 14th read above orders were issued to impose the punishment of 'censure' on Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer, Godavarikhani.

7. In the letter 15th read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has informed that Principal Special Judge for SPE & Anti Corruption Bureau Cases, Hyderabad pronounced Judgment on 13-4-2010 and convicted Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer, Godavarikhani Karimnagar district and sentenced him to undergo rigorous imprisonment for six months and to pay a fine of Rs. 1000/- and in default, to suffer one month simple imprisonment, for the offence under section 7 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988. The Court further sentenced him to undergo rigorous imprisonment for one year and to pay a fine of Rs.1000/- and in default, to suffer one month simple imprisonment for the offence under section 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (d) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988. Both the sentences were ordered to run concurrently.

8. Government, after careful examination of the matter, and taking the material available into consideration have decided to impose the punishment of dismissal from service against Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer Godavarikhani, under Rule 9 (x) read with Rule 25 (i) of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991 read with the instructions issued in the reference 16th read above with immediate effect for having been convicted by the court of the Principal Special Judge for SPE & Anti Corruption Bureau Cases, City Civil Court, Hyderabad.

9. Accordingly, Government hereby direct that the penalty of dismissal from service Under Rule 9 (x) read with Rule 25 (i) of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991 read with the instructions issued in G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Ser.C) Department, dated 04.01.1999 be imposed with immediate effect against Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer, Godavarikhani.

10. The Commissioner of Labour, Hyderabad shall take further action in the matter immediately.

11. The following Notification shall be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under Rule 9 (x) read with Rule 25 (i) of the A.P.C.S. (CCA) Rules, 1991 read with the instructions issued in G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Ser.C) Department, dated:4.1.1999, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby dismisses Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer, Godavarikhani from service with immediate effect.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

BHANWAR LAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri S. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Labour Officer, Godavarikhani
through the Commissioner of Labour, Hyderabad.
The Commissioner of Labour, Hyderabad.
The Commissioner, Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase
(Printing Wing) Department, Hyderabad.
(with a request to publish in Andhra Pradesh Gazette and
to send 10 copies for record purposes)
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.
The Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.
The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.
The PA to Deputy Secretary to Government,
Labour Employment Training & Factories Department.
Sf/Sc

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER